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For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ELECTRONIC FUSE WITH IMPROVED
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicants hereby submit the following documents for the Examiner's consideration.

(1) US 6,486,527; and

(2) US 6,249,037.

Each of the above-cited documents are listed on the enclosed completed copy of the PTO-1449 Form. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to consider these documents and to indicate such consideration by returning a signed and initialed copy of the PTO-1449 Form with the first official communication.

Furthermore, for the record, Applicant would like to point out to the Examiner that

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the instant application was inadvertently electronically filed twice. Once as the instant application US Serial No. 10/707,282 and once as US Serial No. 10/707,283.

Accordingly, Applicant requests that the Examiner obtain a copy of the prosecution of US Serial No. 10/707,282 in considering the merits of the instant application. If the Examiner is unable to obtain copies of this application or any document made of record therein, Applicant will provide such copies as are available. For example, Applicant is ready and willing to provide to the Examiner copies of the Office Actions issued in US Serial No. 10/707,282 as well as Applicant's Rule 1.111 response thereto.

Since the Examiner in US Serial No. 10/707,282 applied documents US 6,486,527 to MacPHERSON et al. and US 6,249,037 to MANNING in prior art rejections, Applicant is herein citing the same so that the Examiner can consider for himself these documents..

Pursuant to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's decision to waive the requirement under 37 C.F.R 1.98 (a)(2)(i), copies of the cited/listed U.S. patents and U.S. published patent applications are not enclosed herewith. Moreover, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

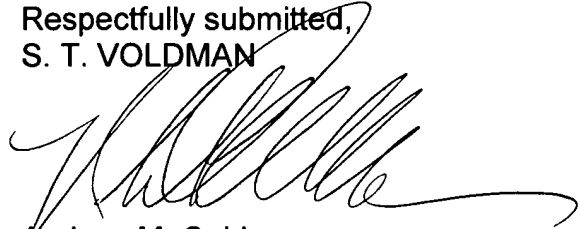
Applicant notes that while this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months from the filing date, Applicant has not received a first action on the merits from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Accordingly, consideration of the enclosed document is required under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(3).

However, if the first action on the merit has been mailed prior to the filing date of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Applicant hereby authorizes the

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Commissioner to charge any fees necessary to ensure consideration of the documents cited herein to Deposit Account No. 09-0458.

Respectfully submitted,
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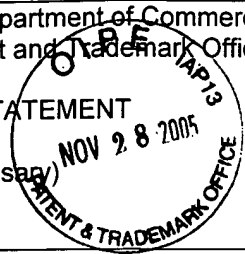
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		6 4 8 6 5 2 7	11/26/02	MACPHERSON et al.			
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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